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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY
WITH SPECIFICATION**

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification mailed on April 23, 2004. A copy of the Notice is enclosed.

The Notice indicates that there is an inconsistency because Figures 6 and 7 are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures 6 and 7 were deleted by an Amendment filed on June 13, 2003. A copy of that Amendment is enclosed herewith, along with a copy of the postcard confirming receipt by the PTO of the Amendment on June 16, 2003.

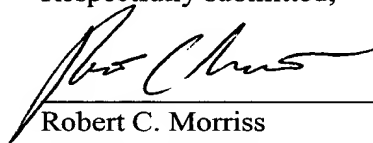
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As Figures 6 and 7 have been deleted, it is respectfully submitted that there is no inconsistency between the figures and the specification.

Please ensure that the June 13, 2003 Amendment is part of the record for the referenced application.

If resolution of any remaining issue is required prior to issuing the patent, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

The drawings filed 8/29/00 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures _____ are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figures 6 & 7 are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

Failure to correct the above noted inconsistency will result in abandonment of the application.

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